

Not Seasonally Adjusted

Exhibit 2b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Commodity Grouping	December 2014 Cumulative To Date - Final		December 2013 Cumulative To Date - Final	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total Selected Commodities	1,101,501	4,399,843	967,197	3,662,460
Ingots And Steel For Castings	13,279	43,773	17,034	48,971
Blooms, Billets And Slabs	130,472	367,596	106,724	302,833
Wire Rods	31,475	107,414	24,429	81,680
Structural Shapes Heavy	1,987	9,686	2,013	8,548
Plates Cut Lengths	84,466	295,240	108,391	324,458
Plates In Coils	20,208	73,356	52,373	132,609
Bars - Hot Rolled	36,353	168,654	31,176	145,839
Bars - Light Shaped	8,085	29,695	6,284	20,754
Bars - Cold Finished	106,040	504,010	86,991	408,020
Oil Country Goods	27,475	218,615	18,901	139,053
Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter	712	6,635	233	1,653
Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter	12,430	80,933	9,953	48,207
Line Pipe - Not Specified	7,799	63,402	2,449	12,933
Stainless Pipe & Tubing	144,235	985,423	117,844	859,379
Structural Pipe & Tube	448	3,255	254	2,901
Wire Drawn	48,523	244,724	44,425	228,063
Sheets Hot Rolled	32,810	61,034	52,535	95,928
Sheets Cold Rolled	342,666	930,584	246,836	647,523
Strip - Hot Rolled	1,758	8,710	2,334	10,807
Strip - Cold Rolled	50,280	197,102	36,019	142,303

NOTE: See the cover report specifically explaining the current month's preliminary steel imports trade data or www.census.gov/foreign-trade/Press-Release/steel_index.html.